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SUBJECT: EXTRADITION - CARLO ZIPPO

REF: COURT OF CASSATION SENTENCE

1. MANY THANKS FOR SENDING TRANSLATION OF COURT OF CASSATION SENTENCE IN THE ABOVE-MENTIONED EXTRADITION CASE. THAT SENTENCE INDICATES EXTRADITION WAS DENIED BECAUSE SUBJECT WAS TRIED ON LOCAL CHARGES SIMILAR TO THOSE FOR WHICH EXTRADITION WAS SOUGHT BY U.S.G. WAS SUBJECT EVER CONVICTED ON THESE LOCAL CHARGES? IS HE SERVING SENTENCE? WAS THIS THE BASE REASON FOR DENIAL OF EXTRADITION? PLEASE ADVISE.

2. THE COURT SENTENCE ALSO IMPLIES THAT THERE WERE PROBLEMS IN EXTRADITING SUBJECT, BECAUSE HE WAS AN ITALIAN NATIONAL. DEPARTMENT NOT AWARE THAT EXTRADITING ONE'S OWN NATIONALS WAS PROBLEM UNDER 1946 CONVENTION. IN PAST, IN FACT, GOI HAS EXTRADITED SEVERAL OF ITS OWN NATIONALS PURSUANT TO THIS CONVENTION. IN FACT, GOI HAS EXTRADITED ITS OWN NATIONALS FOR NARCOTICS OFFENSES (NOT COVERED BY 1946 TREATY) ON BASIS OF LOCAL EXTRADITION LAW. PLEASE ASCERTAIN WHETHER THIS WAS LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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PART OF COURT REASONING IN ZIPPO CASE. SUCH AN APPLICATION

WOULD NOT APPEAR TO COMPORT WITH 1946 TREATY. INGERSOLL

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